

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Patent Application No. 10/797,382

Confirmation No. 3246

Applicant: Marian TRINKEL et al.

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Examiner: Jakieda R. Jackson

Docket No.: 810406

Customer No.: 95683

**TRANSMITTAL OF APPELLANTS' BRIEF ON APPEAL**

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR 41.37, Appellant(s) hereby submit Appellants' Brief on Appeal.

The items checked below are appropriate:

**1. Status of Appellant(s)**

This application is on behalf of ☒ other than a small entity or ☐ a small entity.

**2. Fee for Filing Brief on Appeal**

Pursuant to 37 CFR 41.20(2), the fee for filing the Brief on Appeal is for:

☒ other than a small entity or ☐ a small entity.

**3. Oral Hearing**

**Brief Fee Due** \$620.00

☐ Appellant(s) request(s) an oral hearing in accordance with 37 CFR 41.47.  
A separate paper requesting oral hearing is attached.

**4. Extension of Time**

- ☐ Appellants petition for a one-month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136, the fee for which is \$ 0.00.
- ☒ Appellants believe that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that appellants have inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

**Extension fee due with this request: \$ 0.00**

**5. Total Fee Due**

The total fee due is:

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|---------------------------------------|----------|
| Brief on Appeal Fee                   | \$620.00 |
| Less Brief on Appeal Fee already paid |          |
| Request for Oral Hearing              | \$ 0.00  |
| Extension Fee (if any)                | \$ 0.00  |

**Total Fee Due: \$620.00**

**6. Fee Payment**

- ☐ Attached is a check in the sum of \$ .
- ☒ Charge Account No. 12-1216 the sum of \$620.00.

**7. Fee Deficiency**

- ☒ If any additional fee is required in connection with this communication, charge Account No. 12-1216.

Respectfully submitted,



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